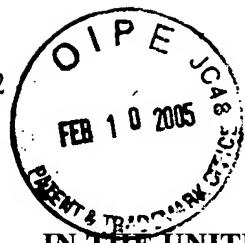


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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time in response to the Office Action mailed October 7, 2004 in the above-identified application.

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The filing fee of \$120. covering the required statutory fee for the one-month extension of time, as well as any additional fees which may be required, should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0955. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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